

Capt. Timothy Wheeler (No. 154 and 486) born in England in 1604, joined the Concord colony in 1639, coming from Odell, Wiltshire, Eng. He died July 10, 1687. He was Ensign of the foot company of Concord in 1646, and its Captain in 1662,—served in the Narragansett War in 1654 and in King Philip's War in 1675, and was Rep. to the Gen. Court 1653-9 and 1671-2. He died without male issue; his daughter, Rebecca, married James Minot.

***Matthew Whipple** (No. 1928 and 672) "the elder," of Bocking, Co. Essex, England, clothier, made his will December 19, 1616 (proved January 28, 1618) in which he named his sons Matthew and John. There is strong reason for supposing that these were the two brothers of those names settled in Ipswich, Mass.

John Whipple (No. 964) was born in England about 1605, died in Ipswich June 30, 1669, and married for his second wife Jennet, widow of Thomas Dickinson. He was deacon and ruling elder of the church and was Dep. to the Gen. Court for eight years.

Capt. John Whipple (No. 482), born in England in 1628, died in Ipswich, Mass., August 10, 1683. He married first Martha, daughter of Humphrey and Mary Reyner who died Feb. 24, 1679, and second on June 28, 1680 Elizabeth (Cogswell) Paine, widow of John. Beside his military position he was Rep. to the Gen. Court four years and County Treasurer. He served in the Indian wars of 1675-6. His daughter Susannah (No. 241) married John Lane.

Matthew Whipple, Jr., (No. 336) married Rose and was born about 1605.

Lieut. John Whipple (No. 168) was born 1632 and died 1695. He married first Sarah,—then Elizabeth Woodman, and third Mary Reyner.

Capt. John Whipple (No. 84) of Ipswich was born 1660 and died 1722. He married first Hannah, and second Joanna Potter.

Capt. John Whipple Jr. (No. 42) of Ipswich was born in 1695 and died in 1769. He married May 14, 1735 at Hampton Falls, N. H., Martha Baker, "both of Ipswich." His daughter Hannah was unquestionably the wife of David Harraden (No. 20) of Gloucester, Mass. The intentions of David Harradine Jr. of Gloucester and Mrs. Hannah Whipple of Ipswich were published Jan. 10, 1768, at Ipswich. "That the maiden is styled Mrs. accords with the fashion of that day."

John Whitney (No. 984) of Watertown, came from London in 1635 with wife Elinor aged thirty and son Thomas aged six in the "Elizabeth and Ann." He died June 1, 1673 and his wife May 11, 1659. His second wife was Judith Clement. His father's name was Thomas and his grandfather was Robert.

Richard Woodward (No. 988) of Watertown had wife Rose who died Oct. 6, 1662 aged 80 and he married second in 1663 Ann Gates born 1603, widow of Stephen of Cambridge. He died Feb. 16, 1664-5 and his wife Ann Feb. 5, 1682-3. He had son George (No. 494) by his first wife.

Sarah Woodward (No. 247) married first on July 6, 1693 John Eddy and afterwards married Isaiah Whitney of Cambridge, (No. 246).

***The Whipples of Ipswich, Mass., have proved very confusing to genealogists. This has been especially true of the name of John,—there being several individuals known as "Capt. John Whipple," and many cases where a "John 3rd" was changed to "John Jr.," etc., during the lifetime of the individual. Careful study has been given to this problem, and it is believed that the facts herein given are accurate.**